

Pering and Carter families collection

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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Pering, Cornelius
Title	Pering and Carter families collection
Date	1821-1859
Extent	0.02 Cubic feet 2 folders
Language	English
Text [Folder]	S1052-2
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Biographical Note/Historical Note

The Pering family lived in Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana. The family included Alfred H. Pering, a teacher at Salem, Washington County, Indiana (1852-1853), and a resident of Bloomington. The collection includes Alfred Pering's correspondence with his fiancée, Eda Carter, while he was in Salem and she was in Bloomington (1852-1953); his letters while he was traveling to Louisville, Philadelphia, and Atlantic City (1869); land documents of the Pering and Carter families in Monroe and Washington counties (1821-ca. 1900); newspaper clippings (1829-1920); other family and business letters; and transcripts of letters written by Pering's father, Cornelius Pering, from Bloomington to his family in England (1833).

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Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

Conditions Governing Access

Restrictions apply. Contact the repository for more information.

Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation from Belle Miller Pering on 1956/07/03.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing and EAD finding aid created 2015/04/09 by Linda Gellert.

Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

- Bloomington (Ind.)
- England

Personal Name(s)

- Edwards, S.

Subject(s)

- Clippings
- Correspondence
- Deeds
- Family history